

## **KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

### **STAFF NOTE**

#### **Review Item:**

2011 Elementary and secondary legislation

#### **History/Background:**

***Existing Policy.*** The Kentucky Board of Education adopted its legislative agenda at its October 2010 meeting.

The Kentucky General Assembly opened its 2011 Regular Session on January 4, 2011, and completed its work on March 8, 2011. The veto period ended on March 21, 2011.

Legislation that was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor is summarized in the attachment. Questions on the attached summary will be addressed at the meeting. Additionally, the outcome or status of the 2011 Extra-Ordinary (special) session will be shared verbally with the board.

#### **Impact on Getting to Proficiency:**

The Kentucky Board of Education's and Department's strategic plan, budget, and legislative agenda provide the framework and resources for helping all students becoming college- and career-ready.

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